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MEMORANDUM

TO: L - Mr. John R. Stevenson
FROM: PM/JW - Joseph Wolf
SUBJECT: Future Program of Symington
Subcommittee Hearings

Walter Pincus tells me of his following tentative thoughts:

After Spain, Greece, Turkey, and General Goodpaster and Under Secretary Richardson on NATO in the first half of June, they will schedule hearings on Spain, Morocco and Libya.

Then, assuming all the preceding transcripts are published, they will move to public hearings, maybe by the end of July, or in any event in August (prior to Symington's departure for the hustings in September).

The public hearings will include the Secretary of State and other Administration and private witnesses to deal with the broad questions raised by all the published transcripts.

Comment:

While the basis for the questions and the questions themselves may be unclassified, one wonders about the extent to which convincing answers will be possible in open hearing.

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